

MONROE RECREATION ADVISORY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
June 24, 2015
City Hall, Second Floor Conference Room

The meeting was opened at 5:32 pm by Chair Garry Knapp.

Present: Chair Garry Knapp, Vice-Chair Lucie Fortin, Secretary Cheryl Miller, and Karen Feldman

Absent: Bob Cebina, Dave LaMontaine, Mary Minney

Also present: Loretta LaPointe, Recreation Manager, Councilperson John Iacoangeli, and Louis Lombardo, Mary Connor, Steve Swartz, and Ken Miller

Approval of Minutes from May 27, 2015

Chair Garry Knapp called for approval of the May 27, 2015 meeting minutes.

Motion made by Cheryl Miller to accept the minutes, supported by Lucie Fortin.

Motion carried unanimously.

Recreation Manager's Report

Loretta LaPointe discussed how the summer rain impacted programs, especially ball diamonds. She spoke about the Access to Recreation grant for safety surface under a new play structure at Martin Luther King Park. She also discussed the upcoming Movie in Loranger Square.

Old Business

No old business.

New Business

No new business.

Communications

No communications

Citizen's Comments

Ken Miller spoke on behalf of the Monroe Dog Run committee about the proposed dog run at Munson Park. The group is not ready to move ahead, and various aspects of a successful dog run were discussed. Loretta LaPointe will put together a checklist of steps for the group to use moving forward once adequate funds are raised.

Commissioner Comments

John Iacoangeli spoke about the Parks Maintenance Supervisor position that is currently open. Applications are being accepted for that position as well as the Director of Communication, Cultural, and Special Events.

Lucie Fortin spoke about it being French Canadian Day.

Louis Lombardo spoke about programs at the Monroe Multi-Sports Complex.

Motion to adjourn made by Lucie Fortin supported by Cheryl Miller.

Motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 6:08 p.m.